

Note: Report changes/updates are in blue

Grotto, Cedar Creek, East San Diego County, March 11, 2015

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SITUATION SUMMARY

Tsunami Preparedness Week 2015

• The Governor has proclaimed March 22 – 28, 2015 Tsunami Preparedness Week. During the last full week of March the state supports activities and outreach in coastal counties and communities. This week is a focused opportunity for local governments to offer consistent tsunami safety information to anyone living or working at and visiting the coast. Activities may include tests of the National Tsunami Warning System, exercises using a Pacific-wide, NOAA-developed Exercise (Kamchatka Russia Scenario), public evacuation drills, airplane fly-overs, and community-level outreach, workshops and fairs. Find local events and register at www.TsunamiZone.org to learn how to protect yourself from a tsunami anytime you're near the coast.

Weather of Concern

Warm weather is expected to return to the majority of the state. Reno, Oxnard, and San Diego NWS Offices are reporting that
temperatures are projected to rise to well above normal values late this week with the potential for heat records to be broken. In
Southern California, Santa Ana wind is expected to be weak to moderate so gusts near 50 mph at the windiest prone passes and
canyons. The hottest day is expected on Friday for most areas.

Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County: http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/wwa_bc_cal.php

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

• SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought

WEATHER

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA AND CENTRAL COASTAL AREAS:

Eureka Weather:

High pressure will maintain dry weather conditions through Friday. A weak trough will bring a chance of showers Friday night and Saturday. Dry weather should return on Sunday.

Medford Weather:

Today is expected to be the warmest day of the year for many inland locations east of the coast range, with high temperatures expected to be 15 to 20 degrees above normal. Record highs will be possible across northern California on Friday. It will be dry and mild this weekend with temperatures 5-15 degrees above normal under intervals of high clouds. The area will be on the southern edge of the storm track next week with a gradual cooling trend back to near normal temperatures by the end of the week.

Reno Weather:

High pressure will bring very mild afternoon temperatures through tomorrow, with record high temperatures expected on Friday. Weak low pressure will push slightly cooler air into northeast California and western Nevada on Saturday. Very mild temperatures return early next week as high pressure strengthens overhead.

San Francisco Weather:

A warming trend is underway and will persist through Friday as high pressure builds over the coast. Dry weather conditions will also continue through the forecast period with temperatures cooling slightly over the weekend.

WEATHER

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

CENTRAL CALIFORNIA AND SOUTHERN SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY

Sacramento Weather:

Mainly warm and dry weather will continue the next week. Weak systems may bring a few showers to the mountains this weekend into early next week.

Hanford Weather:

A strong ridge of high pressure will continue to build over the region providing dry weather and pushing temperatures well above normal through the end of the week. A weak Pacific disturbance will move in over the weekend and bring slight cooling and breezy conditions along with a small chance of some light showers over the Sierra Crest. Temperatures will remain several degrees above normal through the weekend and into next week.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA:

Los Angeles Weather:

Hot temperatures and breezy Santa Ana winds are expected through Friday. As the ridge breaks down and the sea breeze returns, temperatures will cool several degrees through Sunday. Another ridge will warm temperatures back up a few degrees early next week, remaining above seasonal norms.

Extreme Southwestern California Including Orange, San Diego, Western Riverside and Southwestern San Bernardino Counties:

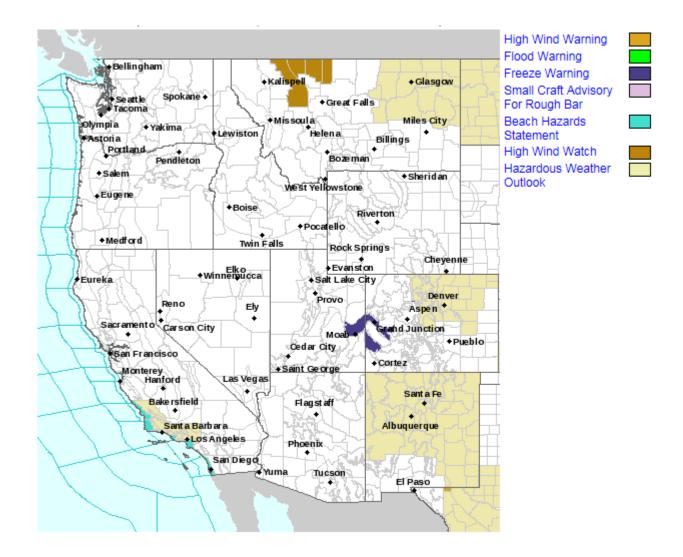
High pressure aloft over California combined with weak offshore will bring warming today with well above average temperatures west of the mountains. Weak onshore flow will return on Friday and strengthen during the weekend. For Friday, temperatures will cool slightly near the coast and continue to warm well inland. For the weekend, cooling will spread inland with a return of night and morning coastal low clouds and fog. High pressure will bring warming for Monday followed by slow cooling through the middle of next week.

Southeast California Weather:

High pressure will build over the area through Saturday leading to mostly clear skies and very warm conditions. High temperatures Friday through the weekend will be 10 to 15 degrees above normal.



STATE WEATHER MAP



FIRE ACTIVITY

Preparedness Levels

National Preparedness Level 1

Northern California

Preparedness Level 1, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 1

Southern California

Preparedness Level 2, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

California Fire Potential & Weather Maps

Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8

Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10

California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings

http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php

NWS California River Forecast Center:

http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/



RECOVERY ACTIVITIES

Round Fire, Mono County

- Site sampling and hazardous materials recovery of the affected properties began 03/14/15. Cal Recycle began debris removal operations 03/23/15.
- Two Recovery personnel have deployed to Mono County to assist with debris removal operations.
- An Applicant's Briefing will be held on 04/03/15 at 1300 hours, at the Lee Vining Community Center, to discuss the eligibility and guidelines of the CDAA program.



CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- The SOC, Inland, Coastal, and Southern REOCs and the Santa Barbara County EOC are activated in support of the Drought State of Emergency and continue to monitor the situation.
- The Governor issued an Executive Order on 09/19/14, to streamline relief efforts for families with drinking water shortages due to drought. Specifically, through the California Disaster Assistance Act, to provide temporary water supplies to households without water for drinking and/or sanitation purposes.
- CDAA 2014 Drought Fact Sheet and Frequently Asked Questions provided to Regions for reference and distribution.
- Cal OES Recovery continues to coordinate a monthly state interagency conference call regarding drought community impacts.
- Cal OES Regional (Inland, Costal, Southern) conference calls continue to occur on a bi-weekly basis.



CAL OES MISSIONS

Ongoing Cal OES Missions

• 2015-LAW-9096, 3/23/15 1030 hours: Trinity County Sheriff's Department has uncovered new information on the whereabouts of a missing person from 2014. Through their investigation, they have discovered an address the missing person was staying in Shasta County. Trinity County SO has requested assistance with conducting a search (after a search warrant is served) at the property on Saturday 03/28/15. Trinity County Sheriff's Department via Shasta County Sheriff is requesting a Human Remains Detection dog to assist in this search. The property to be searched is approximately 80 acres, with small ponds and hilly terrain. Mission On-going.



Mission:

We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.